**CABINET – THURSDAY 23 JUNE 2022**

**AGENDA PART I**

**COUNCILLOR QUESTIONS (ITEM 5)**

*Fifteen minutes will be allowed for Members of the Council to ask a Portfolio Holder a question on any matter in relation to which the Executive has powers or duties.*

**1.**

**Questioner:** Councillor David Perry

**Asked of:** Councillor Paul Osborn, Leader of the Council and Portfolio Holder for Strategy.

**Question:** “Given the growing cost of living crisis in Harrow and the various tools at the disposal of the Council to support local families, in what ways will you be seeking to help residents through what is a very challenging time?”

**2.**

**Questioner:** Councillor Natasha Proctor

**Asked of:** Councillor David Ashton, Portfolio Holder for Finance and Human Resources.

**Question:** “In February, council noted the balanced budget position for 2022/23 and due to rising cost pressures and responsibilities a projected budget gap of £16.593m for 2023/24. Given the number of financial commitments made by the Conservative Party in the run up to the recent Council election, will you be proposing an emergency budget to fund these pledges?”

**3.**

**Questioner:** Councillor David Perry

**Asked of:** Councillor Pritesh Patel, Portfolio Holder for Adult Services and Public Health.

**Question:** “Will you commit to protecting the bridge day care centre and the community kitchen in Wealdstone, both providing much needed services to residents?

**4.**

**Questioner:** Councillor David Perry

**Asked of:** Councillor Marilyn Ashton, Deputy Leader and Portfolio Holder for Planning and Regeneration

**Question:** “Now you have had a chance to understand the detail of the regeneration programme in Harrow, do you propose any amendments to the pre-election programme?”

**5.**

**Questioner:** Councillor David Perry

**Asked of:** Councillor Norman Stevenson, Portfolio Holder for Community Business, Employment and Property.

**Question:** “Besides from your parking policy being rolled out, how will your administration support businesses in Harrow over the next 12 months and beyond?”

**6.**

**Questioner:** Councillor David Perry

**Asked of:** Councillor Jean Lammiman, Portfolio Holder for Community and Culture.

**Question:** “Please could you outline how you will enhance the cultural services offer in the Borough?”

**7.**

**Questioner:** Councillor David Perry

**Asked of:** Councillor Anjana Patel, Portfolio Holder for Environment & Community Safety.

**Question:** “Will the administration be amending any of the current school streets schemes in Harrow?”